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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of May 3, 2006, Applicants submit a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) for the above-identified case with a three-month Petition for Extension of Time and the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on October 30, 2006. Lisa A. Miller (Name of Person Mailing) 10/30/2006 Signature